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CONSUMER TIP #1

The California Board of Chiropractic Examiners (Board) reminds consumers to always check the license of any individual claiming to be a Doctor of Chiropractic.

Properly licensed chiropractic doctors must post their license in plain view for consumers to see. The license must be renewed annually.

A properly licensed Doctor of Chiropractic has completed comprehensive academic and clinical training, passed national and state examinations, and has completed a background check before the Board will issue a license.

Consumers can easily verify a license by checking our web site at www.chiro.ca.gov and clicking on "Search Licenses." Enter the name or license number, and the search will confirm if the individual is licensed. The search also has additional information, such as whether the licensee has disciplinary action pending, prior disciplinary action, or if his or her license is on probation.

Consumers can also call the Board directly at (916) 263-5355 or toll free at 1-866-543-1311 to verify the status of a license.

Individuals who engage in the unlicensed practice of chiropractic are a threat to the public's health, and we urge consumers to immediately report these individuals to the Board.